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EDUCATION

Doctoral Degree
Global Studies, College of Liberal Arts, Shanghai University, China

Master's Degree
International Affairs and Diplomacy (Outstanding Thesis Award), Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University, Thailand

Bachelor's Degree
Sociology and Anthropology, Faculty of Sociology and Anthropology, Thammasat University, Thailand

Certification: Additional Education
School of Chinese Language and Literature, Beijing Foreign Studies University, Beijing, China

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Global China's Studies
- Great Power Relations
- Non-Traditional Security (Food Security and Maritime Security)

COURESES TAUGHT

PPE-LP, CIS-LP, CIS-RS

IP 101 Introduction to Politics
IS 313 China's Foreign Policy
IS 423 Great Powers and Southeast Asia

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- **Researcher**, Project on the Development of Cruise Routes in the IMT-GT Subregion. Conducted by the Research and Consultancy Institute of Thammasat University and funded by the Department of Tourism, 2024.
- **Researcher**, Project on the Development of the Utilization of the Cross-Border Transport Facilitation Agreement in the Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS-CBTA). Conducted by the Research and Consultancy Institute of Thammasat University and funded by the International Institute for Trade and Development, 2023.
- **Researcher**, "Food Security: From Agricultural Development to Sufficiency Economy." Funded by the College of Politics and Governance, Mahasarakham University, 2014.
- **Research Assistant**, "Military Power and the Role of the Chinese Army in International Affairs." Funded by the Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University, 2013.
- **Research Assistant**, "China's Fifth-Generation Leadership." Funded by the Faculty of Political Science, Thammasat University, 2012.
- **Research Assistant**, "Thai–Chinese Relations: 30 Years of Friendship." Funded by the Department of East Asian Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Thailand, 2009.

PUBLICATIONS

- "Utilization of the Greater Mekong Subregion Cross-Border Transport Agreement (GMS-CBTA)." Wimaya, 5(2), 66–84, 2024. (English; Co-author)
- "China's Social Stratification." East Asian Newsletter, 11(1), 17–22. Institute of East Asian Studies, Thammasat University, 2017. (Thai)
- "Food Security: From Agricultural Development to Sufficiency Economy." Journal of Politics and Governance, 5(2), 144–160, 2015. (Thai)
- Maritime Security: Problems and Challenges for Security and Stability in Southeast Asia. Monograph Series, 2014. (Thai)
- "The 10th Anniversary of the ASEAN–China Strategic Partnership: The Maritime Security Issue." Southeast Current Journal, No. 117, 36–48, 2013. (Thai)
- "Cooperation between ASEAN and China on Piracy in the 21st Century." Southeast Current Journal, No. 116, 23–31, 2013. (Thai)
- "China and ASEAN Cooperation on Maritime Piracy." Regional Outlook, No. 31. Griffith Asia Institute, Griffith University, 2011. (English)
- "Food Security: Concepts and Definitions." Direk Jayanama Research Center, Thammasat University, 2011. (Thai)
- "China's New Security and Diplomacy toward ASEAN in the 21st Century." Southeast Current Journal, No. 52, 8–22, 2008. (Thai)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

- "China and ASEAN Cooperation on Maritime Piracy." Presented at the Emerging Leaders' Dialogue on Non-Traditional Security Challenges and Regional Cooperation in Asia, Peking University, Beijing, China, 28–29 July 2011. (English)